

THE ADAIR COUNTY NEWS.

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LODGES.

Adair County Lodge, No. 1, A. O. U. W. M.
Meets every Wednesday night at 8 p. m.

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The Adair County Temperance Society is holding a series of lectures on the temperance cause.

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GOEBEL SHOT DOWN

While Enroute to the State-house by an Unknown Assassin.

THE WOUND MAY PROVE FATAL.

Frankfort in an Uproar of Excitement--Sympathy for the Wounded Man.

DARK CHAPTER IN KENTUCKY HISTORY.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 30.—(Special to the Courier-Journal.)—The victim of the foullest crime that ever stained Kentucky's history, Senator George H. Goebel, lies at the brink of death, shot through and through with a Winchester rifle fired by one of the mountain assassins brought here at the instance of the desperate leaders of the Republican party.

The would-be assassins—for there were several of them—were ambushed on the second and third floors of the executive building, and the volley of five shots was fired from the windows, one ball passing through the Senator's body, coming from a front second story window which looks out from a vacant room.

Senator Goebel, accompanied by Mr. Jack Chinn, was walking to the Statehouse at 11 o'clock, to attend the Senate session, and was within fifty feet of the broad steps of the building when the volley was poured out of the windows, the first shot coming from the front and the other four from a third-story side window directly over the entrance to the executive building. The right breast was penetrated between the nipple and the arm-pit, ranging two inches downward and making an exit two inches to the left of the spinal column.

INTENSE EXCITEMENT. Such scenes of excitement have never before been witnessed at the capital of this Commonwealth. Goebel, on the eve of being declared to be the duly-elected Governor, all men had come to regard the decision of the Legislature, had hardly fallen to the pavement, when in the Senate chamber, in the House, in the Governor's office, in all the public buildings and through the streets rang out the appalling exclamation: "Goebel is assassinated!"

Strong men turned pale at the awful deed done and at the contemplation of what was expected to happen. Dignified and gray-haired Senators, startled at the clear ring of the rifle shots, were almost struck dumb when a breathless messenger ran into the chamber and exclaimed: "They have assassinated Goebel!" ran down the stone steps hatless and stood with him in the room, and knew which to turn or what they should do.

Members of the House were shocked by the suddenness of the awful news. People almost fell over each other in their efforts to be first on the scene.

"Listen at the shots," the members had just exclaimed as they sprang from their seats, and knew that they had run to the door and beheld the seemingly lifeless body of the brave Democratic leader lying stretched out on the pavement, they halted as if struck by palsy, gazed for a moment on the scene before them, and then, as if of one mind, rushed forward and surrounded the body.

THE WOUNDED MAN AWAY. A dozen tender hands laid hold and as many strong arms bore the wounded man slowly from the

Statehouse yard. Silently the crowd stood for a moment as the bearers of the body disappeared from view, and then, turning their thoughts to the would-be assassins, curses deep and threatening filled the air.

"Surround the executive building," shouted a score of voices. "Catch the assassins and kill them," yelled others.

"I'm ready to die with Goebel." Through a crowd of people rushed through the streets, breathless and many of them hatless, and all in a state of excitement bordering on madness. It is fortunate that some men have cool heads even in the midst of the most startling occurrences, else the day's streets of Frankfort might have been drenched with the blood of many good citizens of the State. Peace and order, but with mental calmness, through the crowds were a few wise councillors, who said to the Democrats:

"Keep cool. Remember that you are law-abiding citizens, and all will end well." Though restrained from violence the politicians at the capital remained in a state of excitement from which they are not likely to recover while Senator Goebel lies apparently dying from the bullet of a would-be assassin.

SPECIAL TRAIN WITH SURGEONS. From the first the physician said his wound was probably fatal, and to-night, after consultation with several of the most eminent surgeons of Louisville, Lexington and Cincinnati, it was given out that the Senator probably had one chance in a hundred of recovering. His brother, Arthur Goebel, arrived on a special from Cincinnati with a corps of surgeons at 6 o'clock.

WARNED ON SUNDAY. Sunday morning Mr. John K. Hendrick, while in Senator Goebel's room, said: "I want you to promise me that you will not go out of the hotel again. They will assassinate you." Always brave and courageous, Senator Goebel replied: "If they assassinate me, my death will be to the Democratic party of Kentucky what the blowing up of the Maine was to Cuba." Senator Goebel's brother, Arthur, who spent Sunday with him in the hotel, and said: "Will it be going to do his duty, no matter what may be the danger?"

INTERVIEW WITH MR. CHINN. Mr. Goebel started to the capitol, accompanied by Mr. Jack Chinn and Mr. Eph Lillard, though the latter walked some distance in front. The Senator wore his black chincoat overcoat, a gray suit and black soft hat. What followed is best described in a detailed interview with Mr. Jack Chinn, who was about two feet behind the Senator and saw more than any other person. Mr. Chinn said:

"About 10 o'clock this morning, Jim Barclay, of Nicholasville; Warden Eph Lillard, of Frankfort penitentiary; and Mr. Aaron Kuhn, one of Mr. Goebel's attorneys, were in his room, Parlor A., at the Capital Hotel. We all left the room about the same time. Lillard, Barclay, and myself came down the stairs with Goebel. Barclay went into the hotel lobby, while Lillard and myself accompanied him to the Capitol. Lillard and Goebel walked about twenty feet in front of me, as I was holding back for Mr. Barclay. I caught up with them at the Capitol gate.

"As I could not walk rapidly, Goebel fell back with me, while Lillard walked about thirty yards ahead of us through the yard toward the General Assembly building. No conversation occurred between us so far as I can remember. I was about two feet ahead of me when the first shot was fired. The fountain is in the center of the pavement, about sixty feet in front of the broad steps of the State building. When we were about half-way between the fountain and the steps I heard the report of a rifle

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HOW MR. GOEBEL FELL. "At almost the same instant Goebel fell back with me, while Lillard walked about thirty yards ahead of us through the yard toward the General Assembly building. No conversation occurred between us so far as I can remember. I was about two feet ahead of me when the first shot was fired. The fountain is in the center of the pavement, about sixty feet in front of the broad steps of the State building. When we were about half-way between the fountain and the steps I heard the report of a rifle

"My God! Goebel, they have killed you," but was a little too far away to catch him. "I guess they have," he said as he was falling.

He fell to his right and then forward, rolling over on his back. I think his right knee struck the pavement first. He raised a second as to get up on his elbow, when I said:

"Lie still, Goebel, or they might shoot you again. The first shot struck Goebel, and it was fired from one of the upper floors of the executive building, just east of the General Assembly building, to which we were going.

"The first shot was followed in quick succession by four others, and I heard the bullets hum by me and over the body of Goebel. I am of the opinion that the second shot was fired from a front window. It is my impression that they were rifle shots.

AN APPEAL FOR AID. "I looked for the shots trying to locate exactly where they came from. Everybody seemed to keep away except Eph. Lillard and Representative Owen Cochran. I called out: 'Won't some one come and help carry Goebel away?' when the crowd rushed up.

"Mr. Lillard was almost in the door ahead of us when the shooting occurred. He turned and came running to Goebel's side, while Owen Cochran came up at the same time. These men and others picked him up and started with him to the hotel.

"I thought they had killed Goebel instantly when he fell. He fell seemed to strike him and his eyes were set. I thought he was dead."

ARREST OF WHITTAKER. Suspicion points to Harland Whittaker, of Butler county, a farm hand in the employ of acting Governor Taylor's brother, as the man who shot Senator Goebel. He denies the charge and may believe him, but there are others who feel sure that he is the guilty man. When arrested he had on his person three pistols and a large knife. He was one of Taylor's body guards. He was sent to the Louisville jail.

Telegrams of sympathy were received from all parts of the Country.

A Night of Terror

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the General Burmah of Machas Me, when the doctor said she would die from pneumonia before morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use cured her. This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. Only one and six. Trial bottle free at T. E. Paulk's Drug store.



THE VICTIM OF AN ASSASSIN'S BULLET.

OBITUARY.

Moses Medaris was born July 13, 1814, died Jan. 20, 1900. He was married Feb. 15, 1845, to Martha Murrell, and to them were born six children, three boys and three girls, all of whom are still living and the widow to mourn the loss of their father and husband.

Mr. Medaris had lived in the Glenforn creek country for several years, and was a good neighbor, a kind husband and a loving father; and all can join me in saying that the neighborhood has lost a good citizen and the family their best friend.

Just a little while before he died he professed faith in Christ, and seemed to be happy until death; though he was conscious of every thing and showed all signs of being very happy even in the last moments.

And now to the widow, the children and friends, let us all live that we can meet him in the Canaan land where parting will be no more.

The writer conducted a short funeral service at the home of the deceased, after which he was laid to rest in the Garnett grave-yard to await the resurrection.

J. A. JOHNSON.

STOOD DEATH OFF.

E. B. Monday, a lawyer of Henricetta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try electric bitters, and he was soon much better, but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life." This remedy cures malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c at T. E. Paulk's Drug store.

The people of Kentucky of every political faith will be glad when the contest now on at Frankfort is settled. They are sick and tired and want the State to settle down to business. Mr. Goebel is proceeding legally. If he is entitled to be Governor under the law let the Committee so decide; if he fails to show that his cause is not just, then he should lose.

Chronic Sore Leg.

Mr. J. Richardson had a running sore on his leg for 20 years. Tried doctors and medicines without end or any permanent good. Mr. L. B. Nunnally, druggist, Hartford, La., recommended Morley's Sarsaparilla and Iron to cure this case of the sore and make it heal from the inside. A few bottles cured my leg and put me in better health than I have been for 20 years. Sold by W. M. Bell, Jopka, Ky.

The very latest from Deboe is that Senator Goebel and Mr. Beckham and enough Democratic Representatives to break a quorum are to be arrested by the Federal authorities for conspiracy. Rate.

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6 inches	3.50	8.75	15.75	28.00
7 inches	4.00	10.00	18.00	32.00
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10 inches	5.50	13.75	24.75	44.00

There will be no charge for these rates under any circumstances.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 7.

Taylor's London meeting was called off.

Messages of sympathy continue to pour into Frankfort.

Hon. J. C. W. Beckham is now the Governor of Kentucky.

No fair minded man can approve of the deed of an assassin.

The contest for the minor State offices are to be decided this week.

Taylor's conduct is not endorsed by the Administration at Washington.

Mr. Watterson says the assassination of Gov. Goebel unites the Democratic party.

Hon. L. H. Carter, of Anderson county, succeeds Gov. Goebel as leader of the Senate.

Reports from Frankfort state that Mr. Taylor acts very much like a crazy man.

A monument and a bust of Gov. Goebel will be placed in the State house square, Frankfort.

It now looks like the middle at Frankfort will be settled in a few days. The Democrats are on top.

Sutton, the sheriff of Whitley county, is in the Louisville jail, without bail, charged with being implicated in the shooting of Gov. Goebel.

Whenever you hear a man say that he is glad that his fellowman has been cowardly assassinated, turn from him as you would from the poisonous serpent.

Governor Goebel's body will lie in state at Covington until this (Wednesday) afternoon when it will be returned to Frankfort for burial. Thousands will be present.

Activities are working to find out all who were connected with the assassination, Gov. Goebel left an estate worth a quarter of a million, and his brothers are very wealthy.

The Courier-Journal is the most popular paper in this section. The agent here has had some difficulty in supplying the demand for the past week. All Democrats turn to it for opinions and reliability.

"Gen. Castleman's appointment as Adjutant General by Governor Beckham," said a prominent Louisville gentleman, "is a splendid move and will go far toward restoring peace in the State. He is cool, wise and fearless."

Mr. Goebel was merely a member of the contesting party, demanding his rights under the law, and he asked nothing beyond its jurisdiction. He was legitimately urging his claims, willing to abide by the verdict of the legally constituted authorities.

Governor Goebel is dead. On the 30th day of January at 11:30 a. m. the assassin's bullet did the work that resulted in the death of one of the greatest leaders of the democracy has ever known in this or any other State in this nation. While nearing the capital building, on his way to the Senate chamber, he was shot from the right breast, coming out to the left of the spinal column. It was stated by the wisest physicians and surgeons that it would almost be miraculous should he recover, but his great will power encouraged his friends, and at different times since the wound was received there were hopes of his recovery; but with all his will power and all that humanity could do he passed over the silent river of death at 7:30 p. m., Saturday, February 8, living 4 days 7 hours and 38 minutes after the assassin had done the work for a band of conspirators. In this death the Democratic party loses its greatest leader in Kentucky, the common people their ablest and most fearless friend, and the nation one of the greatest intellectual lights that has been known since the formation of this republic. Coming from an humble but honorable parentage, contending with all the disadvantages of poverty, he raised his own way that gave him fame and fortune. No man possessed more will power; none more devoted to the great mass of the people, and to principle and none more courageously and successfully fought the enemies of Democracy or showed a greater devotion to his friends. The unbridled ambition and power of gigantic corporations was considered by Mr. Goebel as the greatest and most dangerous enemy of our common good, and with a courage almost superhuman, he waged the most relentless and successful campaign against them ever known to the political world, not just as his hand was in reach of the great prize for which he had honestly and heroically striven, the assassin's bullet passed diagonally through his body; but, thank God, he was spared to become the legal Governor of Kentucky. His assassination is the death crime of this century, his death the greatest loss to the State and nation. Hell is not half hot enough for the demon who hid in ambush and slew this leader of leaders, and it will take years to blot the crime from the memory of man. No death ever occurred in Kentucky created as much universal sorrow. Men in this community who never saw the martyred statesman wrung their hands in pity, and tears trickled down the cheeks of tender and sympathizing women. Kentucky weeps, Democracy weeps, and well they might, for the place occupied by William Goebel cannot be filled by living man.

The assassination of Mr. Goebel was the most dastardly deed ever perpetrated in this State, and history does not record a deed more foul. He was shot in the capital square while en route to the Senate chamber, the assassin firing from the third story of the executive building, which at the time was full of Taylor's desperate mountain Republicans, who had been brought to Frankfort and housed by the authority of Republican leaders. There is no excuse made for this murderous, cowardly assassination of the chief figure in the contest. No attempt was made by the then Governor Taylor to discover the assassin, nor did he show any signs of interest in seeking the arrest of the murderer. Instead he had the militia placed around his building to guard himself and the mountain horde of armed men he had been sheltering for many days. We believe in law and order and would not unduly reflect on any man though he be a bitter enemy, but in this case it seems that Governor Goebel was the victim of a conspiracy as he is as planned by him. We believe that a free and fair investigation will reveal the seriousness of our opinion, and that men who stand high in political councils will occupy unenviable positions. When Brutus, Cassius and others plunged their daggers into Caesar's body, they did it in the open, and felt they had saved Rome, but in this case—merely to control the political offices for four brief years—the deadly work was done by a stealthy, cowardly assassin back-

ed, as it seems, by an army of desperate party politicians, and as never before seen in Frankfort, and under the control of the then acting Governor. Why it was that Taylor, in the building from which the shots were fired, did not make an effort to have a search made for the assassin has not yet been explained to the law-abiding people of this State and nation. Why he did not offer a reward at that time, but waited three days is a mystery not yet unraveled, and why it was that so many threats were made throughout the State that Mr. Goebel would never be Governor, though the legislature should decide in his favor, and the Republican leaders were keeping an army of desperate mountain Republicans in the executive building, stand as evidence that Mr. Goebel would find a victim of an assassin. The circumstances surrounding this murderous deed force the conviction that a conspiracy to take the life of Mr. Goebel, to eliminate him from the contest, had been made, and the one who fired the shot was merely the agent of the conspirators. When passions have subsided, when men can be quieted by clear heads and an investigation made, we would feel glad to have the evidence so clear as to drive from our minds the suspicion of a conspiracy, and that the deed was merely the voluntary act of an individual asking and receiving no protection from his political party. As the case now stands, it is charged to the Republican party, and knowing full well that good Republicans will not endorse an assassination no more than good Democrats, it is our opinion that the only way the party can dispose of this stigma is publicly denounce it—denounce the assembling of armed mountain men and the harboring of them in the State's executive building, and then help run down the murderer.

Mr. J. W. Hurt, sheriff of this county, and Mr. S. H. Mitchell, jailer, were in Frankfort at the time of the shooting of Governor Goebel. Mr. Hurt has returned and stated to us that he spent considerable time with our Representative, Hon. M. R. Yarberry, while there, and that soon after the shooting Mr. Hurt, Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Yarberry and Mr. Lewis, the latter the Representative of Muhlenberg county, were in Mr. Yarberry's room, and that Lewis remarked "that Goebel ought to have been killed and that he was glad of it." Mr. Yarberry denounced the act in no uncertain tones, and told Lewis that he ought not to say such things; that it was an outrage. Mr. Yarberry was bitterly opposed to Mr. Goebel politically, but had the manhood and courage to denounce the act of an assassin. Lewis seems to represent that character that endorses murder to accomplish his political purposes.

Fortune will be his who finds the craven wretch who fired on Goebel from ambush. Fifty thousand dollars is the offer made for the arrest and conviction. Legislature is Democratic in the present log-jam complications this fund will at first be raised by popular subscription among leading Democrats, who will be given a voucher for the amount they have paid and repaid as soon as the money can be voted from the State Treasury. The money will be deposited in the bank and paid to the person who can secure the arrest and conviction of the probable murderer of Governor Goebel. The reason for raising the money by subscription is to save time and prosecute the search for the assassin as quickly as possible. The proposed reward has undoubtedly been determined upon, as the Democratic leaders are authority for the report.

A dispatch from Frankfort dated the 1st inst., states that anonymous letters threatening assassination are coming through the mails in considerable numbers. They have been received by the Democratic attorneys and Judges of the Court of Appeals.

The last words spoken by Gov. Goebel: "Tell my friends to be brave and fearless and loyal to the good common people."

CANE VALLEY.
The growing wheat crop is ever promising. Winter oats are looking well.

Page & Co., have bought about thirty thousand pounds of tobacco near this place at about 5c.

O. R. Banks and George Johnson went to Tennessee a few days since to buy furs. They reported buying about \$400 worth.

Mr. Henry Johnson is very low with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rice were visiting in Campbellville Saturday and Sunday.

W. J. Kerr, of Campbellville, was here Saturday working insurance.

Mrs. T. I. Smith will open a new millinery here in the near future.

The guessing contest at E. Rice & Co.'s, was closed February 1, 2418 being the lucky number J. W. Pendleton and James Todd got the buggy.

We noticed last week the News printed the assassination of Goebel one day ahead of the Courier-Journal.

Now comes the sad news that the great and noble man is no more. We see his tears streaming down the cheeks of strong men. Too true, the funeral eulogy has been pronounced, the sad and solemn procession has already been decreed, and presently the sculptured marble will lift up its front, proud to perpetuate the name of the hero, and rehearse to us his virtues while his body rests in the bed of the martyr, his soul reclining in the bosom of God.

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TILLTOWN.
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Webster & Edwards have purchased a large lot of staves in this community.

Bro. Nichols will preach at Pollard's Chapel the second Sunday.

Henry Squires and Charlie Thomas are spending a few days in Green.

Miss Mollie Thomas has begun a school at N. B. Waggoner's.

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PELLYTOWN.
R. W. Allen, of Eunice, was here on business Thursday.

Mr. D. K. Kelly sold a colt to Mr. L. Roberts, of Mitchellburg, for \$25.

J. H. Sanders sold to J. J. Gabbert one jersey cow for \$30.

J. J. Gabbert sold to Proctor Ellis, one jersey cow for \$24.00; to H. Ellis two cows, one for \$17. and one for \$25.

Mr. Sam Damon, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Mattie, passed through here Thursday, enroute for Danville to visit relatives.

Mr. Chas. Coffey has returned home from Columbia, where he has been attending school. He expects to enter school again soon.

Mr. Nick Pelly, who has been confined to his room since Christmas with erysipelas has about recovered.

Mr. Morgan Heiston has moved from this place to Purdy. He was good neighbor and we regretted to give him up.

Mr. C. E. Willis and sister, Miss Estelle, of Jopka, were here last Saturday looking for schools.

Mrs. Lizzie Roberts, daughter, Anna, and Miss Nannie Roberts have returned from a visit to friends and relatives at Liberty.

Mr. Dock Kennett, has gone west where he expects to make his future home.

Mr. W. L. Roberts, of Mitchellburg, was visiting his father-in-law, Mr. D. K. Kelly, this place, Thursday.

Mr. Dick Swiggett sold his house and lot to Mr. Tom Pelly last Thursday for \$150. Mr. Swiggett will remove to Sulphur in the near future.

Geo. Wright, of Campbellville, has rented the house owned by Mr. Henry Sinclair and will remove to this place in the near future.

Mack Ferrill was in Liberty the first of the week.

Children love to take Morley's Little Liver Pills for Biliousness because they are small, look and taste like candy and do not grip the bowels.

Super-coated. One a dose. Sold by W. M. Dell, Jopka, Ky.

MONTPELIER.
Misses Maggie Rowe, Sallie Jones, Purdie Coffey, and Mr. Lander Kincaid, of Russell county; Misses Flora Powell, Mollie Jeffries, and Sadie Coaster, of Jopka, are attending school at this place.

The music class under Miss Sallie Powell is being well attended.

Miss Stella Jones, of Crechesboro, is taking music lessons here.

The Literary Society at Williams' Academy was well attended Thursday evening. The debate was capped by all. Subject—Resolved, that women should be allowed a right to vote. The paper, read by Miss Vie Murray was fine.

The social given by Mr. Chas. Murrah was largely attended and enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Albert Williams was visiting at Denmark last Friday and Saturday.

The meeting at Jato, conducted by Bros. Williams and Dunford closed last Friday night with very good success.

Eld. Z. T. Williams preached at Columbia Sunday morning and evening.

Mr. Dunford, of Hodgenville, who has been visiting in this place, returned home last week.

Mr. Luther Williams returned from Burnside Sunday.

Miss Maggie Rowe visited her home at Rowena Friday and Saturday.

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Light shipping.....	4.00	25
Best butchers.....	4.00	25
Fair to good butchers.....	3.75	25
Common to medium butchers.....	3.50	25

HOGS AND LAMBS.

Choice packing and butchers, 225 to 300 lbs.....	4.50
Fair to good packing, 180 to 200 lbs.....	4.00
Good to extra light, 160 to 180 lbs.....	4.00

GOOD TO EXTRA SHIPPING.

Sheep.....	3.00	25
Fair to good.....	3.00	25
Common to medium.....	2.00	25

COMRADE
M. H. DeLong,



of Schenectady, N. Y., who served in Company K, 5th Vermont Volunteers, held his commission as Captain from the late war. He recently wrote:

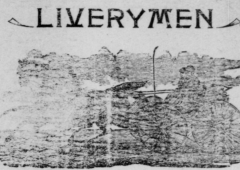
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is sold by all druggists on guarantee, that bottle benefits or money back. Book on heart and nerves sent free. Dr. Miles Medical Company, Elkhart, Ind.

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We have a new and commodious stable. Good stock and good rigs. Careful drivers employed. Your patronage solicited.

New Store at Russell Springs.

The undersigned have just opened up a Dry Goods Store at the above named place. We handle Dry Goods, Notions, Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Groceries, Hardware, Saddlery and Harness. We make a specialty of Clothing. We invite your trade.

J. D. VAUGHAN & BRO.

Reduction in Prices.

In order to make room for spring goods, from this time on we shall offer certain lines of winter goods at cost or less. We deal in Dry Goods, Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats Caps Mens', Boy's and Children's Clothing, Groceries, Hardware and Harness. We have one lot of

Boy's Hats that We Will Close Out at 10 Cents; Also One Lot of Mens' Mils at 5 Cents. These goods are worth a great deal more, but we need the room they occupy. Come and see us we have bargains all over our house and remember we will not be undersold. We respectfully invite our friends to call and look through our stock.

Hughes, Coffey & Hunter.

Warinner's Cheap Cash STORE

Is the place to go to get Goods cheap. I have some of the best clothing for the money of any store in Columbia and I have a line of shoes that I propose to sell cheaper than they have ever been sold for before in this little city.

My Grocery stock and other lines are complete, and too numerous to mention in this space. I want to turn my stock over several times this season and in order to do this I will sell for a close margin. I am not talking nonsense but these are facts. I appreciate what the people have done for me since I came to Columbia and I will prove it to you in the future if you give me your trade want to double my business this year and to do this will sell at a very close margin for cash. Give me a call. Resp.

C. R. WARINNER.

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A Free Gift with Every Bottle of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Will often cause a horrible Bubo, Scald, Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Corns, all Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25c a box. Cures guaranteed. Sold by T. E. Paull, druggist.

I AM PREPARED TO DO ROOFING, Guttering, Spouting or any kind of work done by a first-class tinner. I also use the galvanized guttering with patent wire hangers. Satisfaction guaranteed.

I sell the best Churn on the Market.
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To cure La Grippe take two Days' Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. F. W. Grove's signature on every box. 25 cents.

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WALKER'S MID-WINTER CLEARANCE SALE.

Your last chance to secure bargains. Winter Goods consisting of my entire stock of the same which has been marked down at near cost. You must remember all of my goods were bought before the advance for spot cash and for the NEXT THIRTY DAYS I will sell for cash or produce only.

Clothing! Clothing!

Mens' long all-wool ulster overcoat, the very best, price \$5.50 now reduced to \$4.
Mens' heavy long Irish frieze ulsters, former price 7.50 now 5.50.
4.00 for a Man's black beaver overcoat, for men's, 5.00.
Blue and black Beaver, extra quality with "Y" lining, they were cheap at 7.50 now 6.
\$6.50 now buys the celebrated No. 901 Mackintosh box coat, all wool, and extra heavy, former price, 9.
\$4.50 now buy your a brown, wool-fac Mackintosh which would be extra cheap at 6.50.
\$1.50 for my guaranteed all wool, heavy, white, blue Mackintosh which was exceedingly cheap at 7.50. If you see this you have lost a bargain.
\$2.75 for a light colored worsted face Mackintosh, long with velvet collar, a peach at the price, former price 4.
\$2.50 for a black all wool Mackintosh cape, full length, old price 4.
\$1.19 for Men's black cotton face Mackintoshes, 1.50.
\$4 for a Boy's beaver overcoat, 15 to former price 5. They must go. You will never have this offer again.

\$3 for boy's long brown ulster all wool and first-class grade, but they must go, former price 4.50.
\$1.50 for mens' duck overcoats, former price, 2.75.
1.00. 00s for mens' heavy black duck lined overcoats, 1.25.
\$2.75 for Mens' all wool suits, former price, 3.50. 4.00 for mens' all wool suits, fancy length and finish, 4 styles, former price, 5.00. 5.00 for mens' Faultless tailor-made suits, cheap at 7.50.
\$0.50 for mens' Faultless tailor-made suits, fancy and plain, formerly 7.50. 6.50 for a faultless tailor-made suit, 5 styles, former price, 8.00. 8.00 for a faultless tailor-made suit, former price, 10 and 11.
\$2.75 for a pair of Mens' Fine Buckeye pants, former price, 3.50. 2.50 for a pair mens' fine Buckeye pants, former price, 3. 00s for all wool jean pants. 1.50 per pair for the entire 2.00 line.
35s for a double front brown duck overall.

Sacrifice Shoe Sale.

\$1.00 for a pair of mens' whole stock shoes, only 50 pairs in this lot. Do not wait until they are sold and then come also and say I did not have them. I have everything in this advertisement and other bar gains besides.
\$1.25 for a pair mens' heavy split boots, former price 1.75.
\$1 for a pair mens' fine shoes lace or congress.
75s for a pair of ladies medium fine shoes worth 1.
75s for a pair of ladies heavy oil grain, worth.
00s for a pair of ladies fine shoes, worth 1.25.
1.00 for a pair of ladies' button shoes, worth 1.25.

Miscellaneous.

60 cents for a pair of white or grey blankets.
35 cents for a heavy winter shirt, worth 65 cents.
25 cents for a heavy knit overshirt, worth 45 cents.
88c each for shirts or drawers, heavy fleeced. They will not last long at these prices.
25 cents for a pair of heavy cotton flannel drawers.
88 cents each for 100 white and colored laundered shirts, worth 50 and 75 cents.
88c each for 100 ladies corsets, former prices 50 to 75c.
10c a pair for 100 pairs mens' moreno red sock, cheap at 30c.
I also have a lot of remnants that must be sold at once. They consist of all kinds of Dress Patterns, Waist Patterns, Skirt Patterns, Cashmere Pant Patterns, also a lot of remnants of Carpets and Straw Mattings which will be sold low down. If you want bargains come at once to
I buy all kinds of country produce and pay the highest market price.

W L WALKER'S Cheap Cash Store.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Prof. T. A. Baker returned home Saturday night.
Mr. W. T. Moore, one of Ada's best citizens, was in Columbia Monday last Saturday.
Hon. M. R. Yarberry visited here last Saturday.
Mr. Jas. Colton, Campbellsville was here last Friday.
Mrs. Kizzie Murrell is visiting relatives at Gradyville.
Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, of the quiet sick last week, is very much improved.
Mr. W. S. Knight, Johnston, was here a few days ago.
Mr. N. G. Bates still is a very critical condition.
Mr. Robt. Ross, Amandville, was in Columbia a few days ago.
Mr. Fred Robertson was in Burksville Saturday and Sunday.
Mr. J. H. Waggoner, of his Landing, was in this city Monday.
Miss Fannie Jones has been quite sick for a few days.
Miss Lula Allen left Lexington Monday, and will enter here in that city.
Hon. Henry Aaron went through here Sunday on his way to the Monroe court.
Messrs. Robt. Yong and Garnett Montgomery were at Campbellsville week.
Dr. A. Shively, of Gradyville, and J. C. Dohoney, of Carl Valley, were in the News office yesterday.
Mr. G. H. Goss made his regular trip to Columbia the first day of the month.
Judge W. J. Jones has been detained from the Monroe Circuit Court on account of the illness of his daughter.
Dr. S. W. Strang, Messrs. Matthew Taylor, J. S. Taylor and J. F. Strang of Gradyville called upon the News Monday.
Messrs. Ted Robertson and Rollin Browning two excellent young men of this city, left today for Springfield, Ill., for the purpose of locating. Many success attend them.

"Fetching" Styles.

It is not enough that a shoe should be snug and well made; it should be handsome.



shoes are all three. The shapes are especially attractive, and all styles are sold at a price never heard of before for high grade shoes. Every kind from the extreme mannish to the dainty Parisienne, in all the latest leathers, one price.



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Death of M. E. Wilmore.

Last Sunday evening at 6 o'clock Mr. M. E. Wilmore, who lived in the Gradyville country, and who was one of Adair's best citizens, died after a long illness. He was 67 years old and was an Elder in the Columbia Presbyterian Church. He was a man of strict integrity, and an active church and Sunday-school worker. He was a man for whom every body had the utmost respect, and his death is deeply deplored by the entire county. He leaves a wife and several children, all grown.

Who Preaches Next Sunday.

J. L. Kilgore at Carmel.
E. W. Barnett at Zion.
W. S. Dugdon at Mt. Roberts.
T. L. Hulse at Pickett's Chapel.
W. H. C. Sandigant at Marrowbone.
T. F. Walton at the Presbyterian Church, this city.
W. T. Cave, at West Fork, Cumberland county, will spend a week in that community.

While in town last Monday, Ole McCaffree was severely kicked by a mule on the leg. The gash cut by the mule's foot was about three inches in length. A physician was summoned, who sewed up the wound.

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DEMOCRATIC MEETING.

We, the Democrats of Adair county, in our meeting assembled for the purpose of giving public expression in regard to the conditions that confront the people of this State, do hereby submit the following:

We deplore the present state of affairs and regret the untimely end to which our nation and courageous leader, Wm. Groves, has been brought. We deplore the murder of the act of an assassin whose deed is unparalleled in the annals of this State. We deplore the act of this State during the legal contest, in bringing to Frankfort citizens of rough and questionable characters armed with deadly weapons for the purpose of intimidating the legal representatives of the people in determining the contest there in progress. We condemn the act to adjourn the Legislature by Wm. Taylor to prevent it from meeting in the Legislative Hall for the purpose of deciding said contest after all the evidence had been submitted by both parties.

We approve the action of the Legislature in its entirety and especially in its decision of said contest and in its decision of said contest—making Wm. Groves Governor of Kentucky. We condemn the act to adjourn the Legislature by Wm. Taylor to prevent it from meeting in the Legislative Hall for the purpose of deciding said contest after all the evidence had been submitted by both parties.

We pledge ourselves to the maintenance and preservation of law and order, and trust that cool judgment and discretion will prevail in all our councils.

We heartily approve the good advice given by the leaders of our party in preventing any demonstration of violence and revenge against the most atrocious crime known to the history of this or any other State. We demand that the assassin be brought to justice and approve the reward offered by the Legislature for the apprehension and conviction of the assassin.

We demand that all who assist in bringing the assassin to justice. Committee: Joe Hill, Nathan Taylor, J. H. Montgomery, Geo. Diddle, J. H. Young, Dr. S. W. Strang, W. C. Lay, Ben F. Tupman, J. A. Thompson, A. C. Lay, A. Loy, Charles S. Harris.

Mr. C. H. Williams, who is employed by the Green River Valley Railroad Company, writes Mr. W. F. Jeffries of this city, that there is no doubt but the proposed road will be built, and through Columbia. The experts, who went over the route, submitted his report some days ago, and the syndicate was well pleased with the line. The company will want the right of way through Adair and \$50,000, and as soon as the political machine is settled work will begin. The company has already expended \$40,000 in locating the line. Mr. Williams also states that the machine shops will be located at Columbia.

Miss Mary Murrell, sister of Rev. J. L. Nathan and James Murrell, who had been afflicted all her life, died suddenly last Sunday. She ate her dinner and seemed to be in her usual health. Retiring from the table she took a fall in a chair by the fire and shortly fell over dead. She was about fifty-two years of age—a helpless invalid from birth, but she was kindly cared for by affectionate brothers and sisters. Her parents died many years ago.

Dr. A. Bangh, the County Clerk of Russell, is making a very efficient officer. His son, Ed Arthur Bangh, is the deputy. He has fine business many very accommodating, and keeps a tidy office.

Last Sunday night Mr. Ruel Stone and Miss Maud Epperson, who have been sweethearts for some time, evaded the watchful eyes of the girl's parents, and eloped to Tennessee, and were doubtless married the following afternoon. The bride is a daughter of Mr. T. J. Epperson, one of the best citizens of Adair county. He is an affectionate father, and will doubtless forgive his daughter upon her return.

Paid list since our last issue. T. L. Smith, H. C. Bottom, L. H. Cabell, K. E. Chitwood, E. T. Hood, J. L. Johnson, N. C. Butler, W. L. Roberts, Geo. Campbell, J. T. Taylor, Lane Hartford, T. F. Jeffries, Matthew Taylor, J. D. Weatherford, Dr. S. W. Strang, T. J. Epperson, R. A. Corbin, M. W. Roach, J. T. McElroy, W. T. Moore, Jas. O. Nelson, A. B. Nelson, Dr. A. Shively, C. Dohoney.

An illustrated copy of the Glasgow Times received the News a little late, but its brightness had not disappeared. The many half tone cuts of the business houses and other enterprises, and of the leading men of Glasgow, gives the paper a splendid advertisement and also the city in which it is published. It is a thing of beauty, and shows the push and enterprise of its proprietors.

The death of Mr. Sam F. Barbee will not interfere with the running of the stage line between this place and Campbellville. Mr. A. E. Barbee, father of the deceased Sam F. Barbee, informed us a few days since that the line would continue as heretofore. Lee Johnston, the colored driver, who has been sick for several weeks, will handle the reins as soon as he is able to drive.

Mr. W. E. Harris, a traveling salesman who has become quite popular with the young people of Columbia, gave a candy-pulling at the Overlook Hotel last Saturday night. A large crowd was out, and it was an occasion enjoyed by all. The thanks of the young people are due Mr. Harris for being the author of this delightful affair.

Last Friday night the string band composed of Messrs. Mont. Harison, Thomas and Everett Murrell, called on Mr. W. S. Sutherland and family near Camp Valley and spent a few hours in making good music. These young men are fine musicians and Mr. Sutherland regrets that they did not stay longer. He says they are more than welcome to come again on a like mission.

Mrs. Nona Cabell entertained a party of young people Thursday night; Mr. and Mrs. Barker Friday night; Miss Elice Bradshaw also entertained on Thursday evening and Misses Mary and Lena Todd on Saturday night. The young people of Columbia are on the go and there is not a doubt but they are going.

Lee Webb, of color, who was perhaps one of the oldest women in the State, died two miles from Columbia, Thursday morning. She was between 110 and 120 years old. Her exact age could not be ascertained, but it is known that she was brought from Virginia to this county in 1778. Her sight was good as when young at the time she was taken sick.

The Trustees of this city are considering the proposition of employing a man to take pictures of the city. The first shot upon our streets last Saturday night is an evidence that a peace officer is needed to watch inside the corporate limits of Columbia. If a deal is made Mr. Geo. Coffey will be the marshal.

Maoca McCaffree and Philip Strill call sixty six cents in a little while last week. A hide was cut in the ice, and one drove while the other looked.

W. L. Walker's auction sale attracted a large crowd last Monday. The sale amounted to about \$100 and a good lot of goods were sold.
Capt. J. S. Chapman sold his farm and business house, last week to Mr. Parin Harvey for \$1800, and left for Barren county Monday to look him up a location.
Last week, two good milk cows with young calves; two mare mules, one year old past, and one good thoroughbred short horn bull two years old. C. F. Cabell, Camp Knox.

Mr. John D. Sharp was in Columbia Monday. He says thousands of logs are now lying in the tributaries to Cumberland river, and as soon as a freshet comes they will be rafted to Nashville.

Many weather prognosticators predict that the present month will be very gentle while others think that we will be visited with some very cold waves.

Dr. J. H. Grady's office is now located in the public square. He is occupying a room over Ray's Millinery store, where he can be found by persons desiring his services.

The town council, we understand, has under consideration the employing of a town Marshal. If the past is a criterion of the future, we think there will be times when a Marshal will be needed.

We are informed that Mr. J. W. Coffey and family, upon their return from Campbellville, will occupy the residence on Burkville street, owned by Mr. N. M. Tutt, recently vacated by the family of R. L. Johnston.

A charade party, in honor of Mrs. T. H. Curd, of Middleborough, was given at the residence of Mrs. Nona Cabell Monday night. There were many present. A splendid time, good music, etc.

Eld. Lawrence Williams has been employed by the Christian church in Gradyville, and will preach the first Sunday in each month. Last Sunday was his regular day, and he delivered two interesting sermons.

Any young man in Adair county who is qualified to enter Center College, and who has a moral character and a steadfast purpose to employ his time in gaining information, can get a scholarship in said college free by applying to Judge W. W. Jones.

J. B. Coffey purchased for Coffey Bros., at the Danville sale last week, the celebrated stallion, "Kentucky Squirrel," one of the most successful horses in the State. A few years past he was sold by W. F. Owsley, of Burksville, to W. B. Bales, of Richmond, for \$1000. He never met defeat in a show ring.

Your attention is called to the advertisement in this issue of THE Adair Life Insurance Co., represented by Mr. W. D. Jones. The company is a good one, a safe one, and Mr. Jones is a conservative and reliable business man. If you want insurance, give Mr. Jones a call.

Mrs. Mont. Cravens entertained the following ladies at dinner, Feb. 5, in honor of Mrs. T. H. Curd, of Middleborough: Mrs. Anna Poore, Mrs. W. A. Coffey, Mrs. W. E. Bradshaw and Messrs. Emma Hume, Nellie Baker and Eld. Bradshaw.

Mr. S. H. Mitchell, Jailer of Adair County, will return from Texas in the next few days. He went to that State with the necessary papers to bring back to Adair county a fugitive from justice. There are several fugitives from Adair county, and the one in particular that Mr. Mitchell is after is not known at this office.

Mrs. Wm. R. Dohoney, who fell several days ago and received considerable bruises, has been confined to her room for some time, but we understand that she is doing very well for one of her age. She is 80 odd years old.

Mr. C. S. Harris purchased of Judge Gannett, last week, the property "on the hill," known as the "Arbor Vitae" place for \$500. There are about ten acres of land in the boundary. Mr. Harris will build an addition to the dwelling and make other improvements upon his place.

Last Thursday, Feb. 1, 1900, Miss Augusta Le Grande Phillips and Mr. Richard L. Johnston were married at the bride's home in Monticello. The bride yielded her last summer and was a guest of Miss Gertrude Grady. The couple will reside at Henderson Kentucky.

John Coffey, alias Carter, was arrested in Monticello a few days ago, charged with stealing two horses, one from Adair county and one from Cumberland County. The horses were in his possession and were identified by the owners. The name of the Adair county man who lost a horse was John H. Johnston.

Dr. Wilkerson, of Green county, has charged Leslie Buchanan with criminal assaulting his daughter, Miss Mary Wilkerson, who is 17 years old, expelled him instantly. We understand that for many years he has carried a deadly weapon upon his person.

Many of our citizens met and passed the following resolutions: Whereas in the city of Frankfort, while quietly attending his daily duties, Hon. Wm. Groves, Governor, was assassinated at the hands of an infamous outlaw, and who now is in the embrace of death, and whereas we recognize this crime as the most heinous ever perpetrated in the history of a civilized country and whereas, we recognized the assassin as a true, patriotic citizen, a defender of our rights and an avenger of our wrongs. Therefore, be it resolved by the Democrats of Gradyville:

1st. That we deeply deplore the sad and outrageous upon our fellow countryman.

2nd. We earnestly appeal to the civil authorities of the State to spare no time, talent or means to bring the guilty murderer to a speedy account of the cowardly assassination of our Chief Executive.

3rd. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the loved ones of the deceased, whom we loved as a brother and who will live in our hearts so long as time shall last.

4th. With one accord our sympathies go out to a bereaved and grief-stricken State and that we pledge our loyalty to the party and principles which were so the championing of this departed brother—along with the true and brave.

May God's blessings comfort the loved ones of this man in their sad hours of bereavement.

H. C. Walker, Wm. Wilmore, J. J. Hunter, R. L. Caldwell, Allen Walker, F. D. Walker, G. E. Quinn, B. L. Campbell, J. A. Liddle, Committee.

JAYSTOWN.

Stave bucking is the order of the day. Mr. John Brockman and sister, Miss Maud, of Jaystown, were visiting Mrs. Walker Wilmore, Danville, last Saturday and Sunday.

Wm. A. Asher is very active at this writing.

Farmers are taking advantage of the good weather and are pushing work rapidly.

Ed Atkins and W. B. Pateson were here last week.

If you need life insurance and want to get in a company that is a company see J. E. Murrell.

LETTERS LONG TRAVEL

Bankers Assume Themselves for 27 Years with International Mail Service.

A letter has been passing for 27 years between Edward L. McKee, vice president of the Indiana National Bank at Indianapolis, and W. B. Panton, vice president of the National Bank of the Republic, of Chicago. McKee received it the other day from Manila. McKee and Panton were reared together at Madison, Ind. Both came to Indianapolis.

Panton, in 1873, walked into a shoe store at Indianapolis where McKee was a clerk, and started to tell the gossip of his native town. McKee laughingly said he had no time to listen. Panton wrote him a letter of one sentence and mailed it. It said: "Friedrich is building a handsome new house." McKee received the letter the next day and mailed it back. It passed back and forth, for weeks.

From Chicago Panton mailed it to "E. L. McKee, Postoffice 7," with instructions to "return to E. L. McKee, Indianapolis, if not delivered."

It has been sent to W. B. Panton, Cape Town, and to "W. B. Panton, St. Petersburg," to be finally delivered to Panton in Chicago. It has been around the world several times. Since the letter first started north has ever mentioned it to the other.

SKIPPER'S WIFE SAVES CREW.

Men on Ship Give Up Battle with the Waves, But, Encouraged by Woman, Work Until Rescued.

Capt. John Keely and nine seamen of the big New Haven (Conn.) schooner, W. Wallace Ward, over their lives to the bravery of the skipper's wife. For five weary days and nights the men had battled with waves that almost wrecked their vessel. Worn out with lack of sleep and food, the pumps choked, the cargo listed, and the rigging torn, the men were in despair. "Cap, we give it up," said the stevedore of the lot. "It's no use; we've done for."

Then Mrs. Keely rushed out of the battered cabin. Vowing a hand to the men, she cried: "For God's sake, stick to the pumps. Help will surely come, for you're not cowards. Come on, now."

She went to work herself and her example gave the men new life. They sprang to the pumps and worked with superhuman energy, but even this was unavailing, and the waves were settling when the Norwegian ship Thelma came in sight and rescued the crew, landing them at Philadelphia.

MOTHER TIES WEDDING KNOT.

Mrs. Henssman, Woman Preacher, Performs Marriage Ceremony of Her Daughter at San Francisco.

Rev. Mrs. Kate Henssman, of San Francisco, performed the marriage ceremony uniting her daughter, Mary Viole Henssman, to John Bradley, of New York. "You," said she, addressing them, "are united in the holy bonds of matrimony, promising to love, honor, cherish and esteem each other, knowing that all your actions in life are witnessed by those near and dear, who are with you in the spirit."

This is the first wedding in California where a mother performed the ceremony and her daughter was the bride. Mrs. Henssman is an ordained minister under a state charter issued by the Independent Bible society, of which she is a missionary. As there is some doubt as to the legality of the wedding a civil ceremony will be performed.

RURAL DELIVERY FAVORED.

Has Gained Complete Regard of the Man in the Country—Advantage It is to Him.

"I am heartily in favor of the rural delivery system," said Representative Landis, of Indiana, "and the people of my district are delighted with it. In the territory represented by me there are more rural delivery routes than in any other congressional district in the country, and my constituents are so well pleased with it that if the government should decide to abolish the system they would pay for its maintenance out of their own pockets. It enables them to have letters and newspapers delivered at their doors every morning in the year, and in this way the system is not only a great educator, but it helps to bridge the communication of the newspapers and is of assistance in a business way to the farmers. It brings them in touch with the government to some extent."

The expenditures of the government aggregate more than \$600,000 annually, and the farmers naturally ask themselves the question where they derive any benefit from this enormous outlay. They have an answer to it in the mail delivered at their doors, and they are perfectly satisfied and feel that they get some return for the taxes they contribute toward the maintenance of the government. The farmer of to-day is really a merchant, and he must of necessity make in closer contact with the markets of the world. This can be done by receiving the newspapers, which give the market quotations and assist the farmer in disposing of his product.

In my opinion the farmer is more entitled to free mail delivery than his brother in the city, because it means so much more for him to drive eight or ten miles to the post office. The city man could get his mail at the post office if the delivery system should be abolished much easier and with less expenditure than the man in the country."

When a Boy Dies a Good Time. It is a sign, says a Michigan Globe, that a boy is still not enjoying himself if he is afraid to go out in the kitchen.

TO DIG FOR SPANISH GOLD.

Americans in Manila Form a Company to Seek Treasure Buried in Lagoon.

A number of Americans at Manila have formed a company to make a systematic search for millions of Spanish treasure, said to have been buried in southern Luzon over a century ago by a Chinese mandarin, Chan Lee Yee. For over 100 years the Filipinos have searched for these riches, unsuccessfully.

Recently a Filipino woman stated

up three Spanish coins, date 1728, near the spot where the mandarin is supposed to have buried his gold.

A soldier bought the coins and as a result of his investigations the present search is to be made.

WEARS CHARMING GOWNS.

Mrs. Edwin Gould Shows Excellent Taste in Her Adornment—Can Wear Most Every Color.

Mrs. Edwin Gould has worn some very handsome gowns this winter. She has excellent taste and is always charming to look upon. She has such a creamy, beautiful complexion that almost every color is becoming to her. One of her latest gowns is of light-colored broadcloth, trimmed with blue bands of black silk corded with floss. The rows of corded silk are set on in deep scalloped of curved lines, and there is a high white collar set edged with a band of black velvet ribbon. The gown is trimmed with a turban of black velvet, trimmed with white tulle chapeau bed by ornate-ments of steel and brilliant.

NOT LIKELY TO MOVE BODY.

Belief That the Remains of Robert Louis Stevenson Will Stay in Samoa.

The friends of the late Robert Louis Stevenson do not relish the proposal to bring his remains from Samoa to Scotland. Those who urge their removal point out that Apia has now become German territory and that, if Stevenson could have foreseen this, he would have left other instructions respecting his interment. No doubt, if the transfer were decided upon, the funds would be promptly forthcoming, but the likelihood is that the novelist will continue to lie where he was buried.

Monte Carlo.

The income of the Monte Carlo gaming tables for the past year reached over \$60,000,000.

Venezuelan National Games. The great festival of Venezuela, which is chess and checkers.

Largest of Galapagos Islands. Albemarle Island is the largest of the Galapagos Islands. It has an area of 1,250 square miles and it has a peak 4,700 feet in height.

FEARS FOR OPERA.

Pietro Mascagni Says Public Is Moved No Longer by Music.

Composer of "Cavalleria Rusticana" Believes the Twentieth Century With Waning Interest of Music from Speech.

Pietro Mascagni, the composer of "Cavalleria Rusticana," believes that the twentieth century will witness the funeral of opera. In the New York Journal he writes: "As to the probable evolution of musical art in the twentieth century, I cannot think of it without a feeling of dread."

"I fear, and I am neither the only nor the first one to believe it, that music, the first element of the present trend, will slowly and by separating itself entirely from speech. Poetry and music, born twins under the classical sky of Greece of Homer and of Pindar, will break the last knot that has kept them together almost by force until today. Each of them will follow the road to which it is destined by its intimate nature—that is, poetry will be the interpreter of all that can be materially expressed by words; music (superior at least in this to its ancient rivals) will be the interpreter of all that is beyond the reach of words."

Hence, opera will dissolve itself into two elements, music and the word. The public (and especially that of the Latin nations, who more than others are attached to the traditions of the opera) which to-day goes to the theater only to feel sensations that can be satisfied by the music of the orchestra, will in the future be attracted by the speech which touches the most latent fibers of the human heart. Then, in the extreme struggle between speech and music, in order to preserve the appearance of opera, speech will have the best of the struggle, and to music will be left the humble task of serving as a simple handmaiden of speech.

"This, then, is my fear. The twentieth century will witness the funeral of the music-drama; if there cannot be found some one who has the genius and the strength to wrest it from the fatal current which drags it toward its end."

VALUABLE OLD STAMPS.

Auction Sale of Hunter Collection—Some of the Rare Stamps It Includes.

An auction sale of old stamps, the collection of William Hunter, was held the other night at Assembly hall of the United Charles building, New York. The collection consists of 3,321 stamps, and constitutes the finest lot of postage stamps ever offered at public sale. It is estimated that the amount realized from the sale will exceed \$100,000. Stamps were sold from eight cents to \$320 each. Dr. W. C. Bowers purchased a half-cent Austrian stamp of 1820, \$250. The most valuable lot in the collection is that marked No. 1,990, a two-cent British colonial stamp of 1850, which was bought some years ago by the De Coppel sale for \$2,000. Another rare lot is No. 106, a postmaster's stamp of Brazil of the issue of 1848.

There are a number of Hawaiian stamps which are exceedingly rare. Two of these, Nos. 3,100 and 3,110, respectively, of the issue of 1851-52, will probably bring big prices.

Almost every country, state or city that has ever issued stamps is represented in the Hunter collection.

Nervous Prostration.

I had nervous trouble, for years, which at times completely prostrated me and made life not worth living. I tried many physicians and no end of nerve and other remedies without relief.

Mr. M. J. Crow, merchant, May, Iowa, persuaded me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The bottle went to the right place, and I felt a complete change and now, using six bottles in all I am perfectly well.

For sale by W. M. Bell, Jopka, Ky.

Frank and Tom, Blumauer and G. Ver Hedges, all boys in a tank car, have been indicted for larceny-breaching at Millersburg.

An Editor's Life Saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

During the first part of October, 1890, I contracted a bad cold which settled on my lungs and was neglected until I feared that consumption had appeared in an incipient stage.

I was constantly coughing and trying to expectorate, but this was of no avail. I was becoming alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state.

—R. S. EVANS, Publisher of The Review, Wagon, Ky. For sale by M. Craves, Columbia, Ky.

The next annual meeting of the Kentucky Press Association will be held at Louisville in midsummer, and a trip will be made to Lake Minnetonka, Minn.

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The Cincinnati Southern Railway.

refuses to pay the 25 cent fare turnpike tax in Grant County.

John Johnson, of Mercer county, killed a pigeon in which he found a tapeworm over four feet long.

Invent Submarine Light. Device of Yale Student Attracts Attention of Russian Navy.

Capt. W. Barton Ferson, naval attaché of the Russian government, stationed at Washington, has been in New London, Conn., for two days investigating the submarine light which was invented during the Spanish war by F. O. Hall, Jr., and Q. E. Hurdick, two Yale undergraduates.

Ferson, who is an expert submarine warfare, was so pleased with the invention that he told them he would recommend that the Russian government purchase enough of these lights to equip the Russian navy, and ordered one of the lights, which will be shipped to Russia at once. The Russian government, it is claimed, proves that Hall and Hurdick by their invention have proven that it is not necessary to an air light. This is something that has always been considered absolutely essential. By the use of this light vessels can be sighted at a depth of 200 feet below the surface of the sea, so that a photograph can be made of a stolen ship. This is the first depth at which divers can work.

Suggestion for Dyspeptics. It is recommended, says the London Lancet, that to avoid cold hands while cycling these chilly months a good thing is to rub the inside of gloves with castile and then warm them till it thoroughly saturates the leather. Afterward, without being greasy, it will resist the penetration of the cold.

More Terrible Than War. Capt. Sigbee, who was on the Maine when she was blown up by the German torpedo boat, and then went through the war with Spain without receiving a scratch, has been killed by a Brooklyn trolley car. Yet people go right on thinking, says the Chicago Times-Herald, that war is terrible.

GOLD MEDAL FOR SWENIE.

Illinois Fireman Honor Chicago's Fire Chief for His Fifty Years.

Dr. J. Swenie, chief of the Chicago fire department, was the other day presented with a gold medal by the Illinois State Firemen's association in annual session in Princeton, Ill., in honor of his completion of 50 years in the fire service.

The presentation speech was made during the afternoon session by B. F. Seymour, of Clinton, the president of the association, who said that Chief Swenie high tribute for his long and effective service to the city of Chicago, and he was prepared to face anything in the line of duty which he was a big hearted man that had been spoken of him.

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